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SC, Berlin Operations Base

Project CAMISADE

1. Information Objectives: Personnel of Soviet-licensed newspapers, SNB, ADN. Propaganda policies of same. Operational information on Soviet case officers handling CAMISADE.
2. Specific Targets: See above.
3. Covert Personnel: CAMISADE, FRI KAHNKE (cf MGB-2050, 23 Jan 47 (BSG/Ops/019)).
4. Proposed method of control and contact: Knowledge of agent's performance of agent-informant work for the RIS. Evidence that he has engaged in espionage for the United States. Operational contact through street corner meetings. CARRIAGE test of agent indicates him to have been doubtful to our side and that he has been truthful with US case officer.
5. Proposed cover:
For agent: Freelance journalist, drama and music critic.
For case officer: CIC
For organization: CIC
6. Estimated Costs:
 - a. Contract status: None.
 - b. Supplies per month: Food commodities, tobacco, and toilet articles totalling approximately \$15.00 per month.
 - c. Money salary per month: None.
 - d. Travel and other expenses per month: None.
 - e. Services (travel facilities, housing, etc): None.
 - f. Possible disposal costs if
 - i. Personnel simply dropped: None.
 - ii. Security hazards require flight and resettlement: Transportation for self and mistress to US Zone of Germany. Documentation, housing, food, financial assistance for three months.
 - iii. Personnel is captured or killed while operating for us: None.
 - g. Possible organizational obligation inherent in developing this project: See above.
7. Other major factors: None. No interrelation with other operations.

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